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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 28, 2007, in the above-identified application, applicants provide the following amendments and remarks.

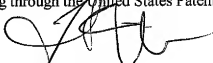
Amendments to pending claims are reflected in the "**Listing of Claims**" that begins on page 2 of this paper.

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